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TO IMPROVE TURN

STREET COMMITTEE WILL ELIMINATE HIGH SCHOOL "JOG."

MAY BUY TOMB SPACE

Council Amends Ordinance That Mausoleum Can Be Built at Oak Hill—May Purchase Sprinkler.

A proposition to eliminate the one-third block "jog" on East First street, where it crosses Vine street, was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act, at a meeting of the city council last night. Although it has not been definitely decided which plan to follow, it is generally believed that the better and cheaper way would be to arrange for larger inside turns at both corners. This plan would cost about \$200, according to City Engineer F. L. Flynt, while another plan to widen Vine street in front of the Washington school building would cost almost double that amount. Both would produce about the same results, it is said. By placing larger inside turns at the southwest corner of First and Vine streets and at the northeast corner of First and Vine streets, it is believed the danger heretofore incident to operating automobiles with any speed there would be eliminated.

The street committee consists of John H. Gray, H. L. Raines and J. D. Ford.

May Buy Three Blocks.

A city ordinance regulating Oak Hill cemetery was amended last night by a unanimous vote of the councilmen so that one person or firm can buy as much as three blocks together in that cemetery, where it was to be used for building a mausoleum. Under the old ordinance but two lots could be bought. Each block includes six lots.

The amendment does not permit of the purchase of more than two lots, however, for any other purpose than as a mausoleum site. A firm now is planning to buy ground there to erect a mausoleum. No definite action has been taken yet, however.

It is planned to build the tomb at the southwest corner of the city cemetery.

May Add Sprinkler.

The street committee was empowered last night to arrange for buying a sprinkler to be attached to the street sweeper, now in use in Maryville. It is believed such an attachment can be obtained for about \$110.

The fire committee reported unfavorably last night on a request of the Standard Oil company to obtain a fifty-year franchise to operate here. The company heretofore has conducted business in the city without a franchise.

Edward L. Townsend was re-appointed a member of the board of public works on recommendation of Mayor U. S. Wright. Mr. Townsend has been desirous of resigning from that position. He now is president.

C. N. Howard, janitor of the Normal school, was granted a special police commission. W. A. Burris was re-appointed night policeman for thirty days.

Permission was granted for erecting hitch racks at the east end of Third street.

All councilmen were present last night except John H. Gray.

GET ADDITIONAL TALENT.

Kansas Expert of Animal Husbandry to Speak at Agricultural Conference.

Ira Richardson, president of the State Normal school, has received notice that Prof. W. A. Cochel, head of the animal husbandry department of the Kansas State Agricultural college, at Manhattan, Kan., will be a speaker at the agricultural conference to be held here by the Normal December 8 to 13 inclusive. He will probably be here the first two days of the five days course.

Prof. C. B. Hutchinson, one of the members of the faculty of the Missouri agricultural college, also will be here, in addition to Dean F. B. Mumford and Prof. H. O. Allison, it is announced.

Library Board Met.

The monthly session of the Carnegie library board was held in the library late yesterday afternoon. The usual routine work was transacted and bills allowed.

Here From Bolckow.

Mrs. J. H. Goforth and daughter, Bertha, of Bolckow, came to Maryville this morning to spend the day visiting Mrs. Goforth's son, W. E. Goforth, and family.

DEFEAT PICKERING 31 TO 29

High School Basket Ball Team Has Tough Sledding—In Rear the First Half.

A large crowd of high school students and many others interested in basket ball saw the high school team win its first scheduled game of the season, by defeating a team from Pickering by a 31 to 29 count. The high school rosters were on the job from the start of the game.

Except for occasional flashes of good work by the Maryville team, the Pickering boys played a little better ball in the first half. The first half ended with Pickering leading by eleven points, the score being 20 to 9.

Maryville played a good uphill game in the last half and were finally rewarded with victory. At the start of the second half Pickering again led off with four points. With the score then standing 24 to 9 the Maryville boys were fifteen points behind. But they began to steadily creep up, and when the whistle blew ending the second half the two teams were on even terms at 29 points each. They played on for the first two points and after a short extra session the game ended with a field goal for the Maryville lads.

Coach H. P. Polson ordered eleven men to be ready to play, but only seven were used in the game. At the start of the game the Maryville lineup was: Scott and Strader, forwards; Selecman, center; Miller and Hughes, guards. In the second half Scott took center and Van Cleve went to forward. Farmer took Hughes' place at guard. Pickering used the same lineup all through the game. They were Leech and Moon, forwards; Neal, center; Burch and Jones, guards.

The summary: Maryville—Field goals, Scott 7, Strader 2, Van Cleve 2, Selecman 1. Free throws, Scott 4, Strader 2.

Pickering—Field goals, Leech 6, Moon 3, Neal 1. Free throws, Moon 3, Leech 1.

One point was awarded to Maryville.

SCHOOL HOLDS DEBATE.

Happy Hill Pupils Organize and Plan Regular Meetings This Term.

Thirty-two of the loyal patrons of Happy Hill school met Friday evening and organized a literary for the betterment of the school and community. October 30 was set apart by the state superintendent of schools to organize a literary in every school district in the state of Missouri. We are glad our teacher, Miss Grace Neet, fell in line with this work. The following officials were elected: Sam Daugherty, president; H. A. Smith, vice president; Miss Grace Neet, secretary; Harley Miller, sergeant-at-arms. The question for debate next Friday evening is, "Resolved, that the present school system would be greatly improved by consolidation." Everybody invited to come and take part.—Burlington Junction Post.

CAME HERE FROM COLORADO.

Former Nodaway County Couple Boost New Home—Remain Several Days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Miller of Otis, Col., formerly residents of Nodaway county, have returned to Maryville this week for a few days visit with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gault, on West Second street. Mr. Miller formerly lived near Graham, while she lived here. Both say they like their new state and its climate.

Otis, which is in the eastern part of Colorado, is in a rich farming section, though some of the land has to be irrigated. Mr. Miller says the apple crop is large this fall, while the sugar beet, wheat and corn yielded as well as ordinarily. The corn made between 25 and 30 bushels to the acre.

As an indication of the amount of wheat produced there, Mr. Miller said there were 126 wagon loads of wheat shipped from Otis one day. This would equal 7,650 bushels. They expect to ship 300,000 bushels of wheat from there this fall. A new 4,000 bushel capacity elevator now is being built.

Charity Workers Meet.

The Missouri state conference of Charities and Correction will meet for three days in Springfield, beginning tomorrow. Persons interested in problems of poverty, disease and crime will attend from all over the state to discuss ways and means of bettering the conditions of the unfortunates. There also will be several speakers from out of the state.

Sues to Divide Land.

A civil partition suit was filed in circuit court this afternoon by Charles A. Neal, John Bosch, Caroline Gatton, Sarah Pride and John T. Neal against Charles Roach and eight others. A Nodaway county farm is involved.

TEMPERANCE DAY BURNS SON'S BARN

MARYVILLE CHURCHES TO OBSERVE EVENT TOMORROW.

STATE WORKERS COME

Superintendent and Assistant of Anti-Saloon League Conduct Local Services—All to Keep Day.

Temperance day will be observed in every Protestant church in Maryville tomorrow in song, prayer and sermon. This city is particularly fortunate in securing for its speakers tomorrow morning both W. C. Shupp of St. Louis, state superintendent, and Albert C. Bushnell of Kansas City, assistant state superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

Mr. Shupp will address the First Presbyterian congregation at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, while Dr. Bushnell will speak at the First Methodist church at 10:45 o'clock in the morning.

The First Christian church and Sunday school also have arranged for the proper observance of the day. H. D. Thompson, superintendent for the northern district of the Anti-Saloon League, will speak at that church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, tomorrow night. The Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor, will speak on "The Meaning of God" in the morning. The Sunday school will unveil the portraits of Abraham Lincoln and Robert E. Lee, and a ceremony has been arranged for the signing of the temperance pledge cards.

The Buchanan Street Methodists will hear Mr. Thompson tomorrow morning, while special song and prayer service has been prepared for tomorrow's services by the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard.

E. L. Jones, also a worker in the Anti-Saloon League, will be the principal speaker tomorrow morning in the First Baptist church. The pastor, the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, will conduct the usual evening services.

In addition to the special speakers in all of the churches, at either the morning or evening services tomorrow there also will be special song and prayer services in both the Sunday school and church.

Dr. Shupp and Dr. Bushnell are expected to arrive in Maryville tonight.

Open New Remus Store.

The store of C. F. Remus, which has been removed to the Borrsch building, Third and Buchanan streets, opened for business in the new location yesterday afternoon. While everything has not been placed in the order intended, the new store will be open throughout today. Besides giving a better location, the Borrsch building will also permit of more store room.

Home from Maitland.

Miss Wilma Mills returned this morning from Maitland, where she has been visiting the past week.

MARVIN COOK, 78, CONFESSES—TO JAIL ONE YEAR.

GOES TO WIFE'S GRAVE

Aged Man Visits Her Last Resting Place, Then Fires Son's Property—Attorneys Get \$1,000.

That he first visited his wife's grave in the Graham cemetery, laid flowers upon and prayed beside it, and then deliberately went direct to the home of his son, George Cook, living northeast of Graham, and set fire to his barn, was the confession of Marvin D. Cook, 78 years old, of Maitland, when he pleaded guilty and received a one-year's sentence in the county jail from Circuit Judge William C. Ellison this morning. Though shaking by emotion, the aged man bore up well as sentence was pronounced. He gave no reason for committing the act.

It is known, however, that the son and father had been enemies for more than a year, neither speaking to the other, and that the father was jealous of his son's wealth.

Saved the Horses.

Cook says he spent the entire afternoon preceding the firing of the barn that night at his wife's grave, then went to the son's barn, turned out two horses therein, and then proceeded to burn the building. The elderly man has always worshipped horses, which accounted for his first releasing them.

Bloodhounds placed immediately on the trail made straight for Cook's room in the Farmers hotel at Maitland. A short time afterward Cook tried to commit suicide, but was prevented by quick medical attention.

Daughter May Take Him.

An effort now is being made to keep Cook out of jail, because of his age and decrepitude. George Cook, the only son, will not care for him, it is said, neither is a daughter in Omaha able to do so. Correspondence now is being entered into between Cook's counsel here and another daughter, Mrs. Ella Shilling, at Wray, Col., to see if the aged father can be cared for.

That failing, Cook will have to go to the county jail. L. C. Cook of the firm of Cook, Cummins & Dawson made a plea for Marvin Cook this morning. The maximum penalty for arson of the third degree, such as Cook was charged with, is two years in the state penitentiary. It was at the special request of the son, George Cook, however, that the sentence was made but one year. In this way it was possible to keep him in the county jail.

J. H. Saylor, special judge to decide what fee the attorneys for Mary J. Scott, plaintiff in a suit against John T. Griffey, were entitled to, awarded \$1,000 this morning. They asked for \$1,200. The attorneys were Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison and A. F. Harvey.

PROBATE COURT BEGINS MONDAY.

Almost 100 Cases Are Docketed for Action in November Term.

The November term of the probate court of Nodaway county will begin Monday morning with Judge W. H. Conn presiding. The cases consist almost entirely of settlements of estates. Few requests for the appointment of guardians or claims against estates have been filed. Few jury cases also are anticipated.

The last term of probate court was in August.

BEAT BOARD BILL, CHARGED.

Sheriff Arrests T. J. Gilreath on Complaint of Maryville Hostelry.

T. J. Gilreath, charged by the management of the County Seat hotel, on East Third street with having "beaten" a board bill, was arrested by Sheriff Edwin Wallace at Clyde yesterday afternoon. A compromise between Gilreath and Mrs. Pope, manager, later was affected whereby Gilreath paid the costs and part of the board bill. She charged him with having left a bill of between \$10 and \$12.

DEFRAUDS BY CHECK, CHARGED.

Elmo Resident Passed "Bogus" Order, It Is Alleged.

R. A. Alvis of Elmo, was arrested by Sheriff Edwin Wallace last night on a charge of attempting to pass a worthless check for \$5 on the Farmers and Merchants bank of Elmo. It is alleged he misrepresented to William Cassell that he had money in the bank and got Cassell to pay him \$5 out of the fund of his employer, John Kane.

His preliminary hearing will be held before Justice Warren L. Johnson this afternoon.

HOLDS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Will Hold December Session of Parent-Teachers' Association at Night.

A large and enthusiastic audience attended the first meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association held in the high school auditorium yesterday afternoon. The program included papers on pertinent topics given by Principal E. R. Utter, Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve and Mrs. Eugene Ogden and a general discussion of each, music by the grade pupils and a piano solo by Miss Dorothy McDonald.

The December meeting will be held in the evening in order to give a large number an opportunity to come.

SUN SPOT WAS MERCURY.

Mark This Morning Was Planet Making First Transit Since 1907.

To those Maryville folk who perceived a small dark spot on the face of the sun between 6:30 and 8 o'clock this morning, it might be explained was caused by a transit of the planet Mercury across "old Sol." This was its first appearance against the sun since 1907. It usually makes a transit across the sun every seventh year in November, and in May every thirteenth year.

It was only by the use of smoked glass that the planet could be seen this morning across the face of the sun. Many just thought it was a "dog spot."

CANVASS ELECTION RETURNS.

"Absentee" Vote Brings Down Hyslop's Majority to Three, Reported.

Judge J. G. Thornhill and E. T. Bailey of the county court and George Demott, county clerk, constitute a canvassing board to count the election returns of Tuesday's election in Nodaway county, began that duty in the court house at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Nine packages of "absentee" ballots are to be counted. How many ballots they contained is not known.

The count of these votes to determine whether Arthur S. Robey or Charles Hyslop will be the next representative from this county is awaited with interest.

It is reported the nine "absentee" packages contained twenty-one ballots. Of this number, it is reported fourteen absent voters voted for Robey for representative and seven for Hyslop. This being true, Hyslop would have a majority of but three votes over Robey. The unofficial county returns give Hyslop a majority of eleven.

Home from Kansas City.

Miss Maud Bainum will return this evening from a visit of several weeks at Kansas City, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Himebaugh.

To Visit at McFall.

Miss Allie Fraser left this morning for McFall to spend the week end with Miss Louise Marshall.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

TO JOIN ENTENTE

ROUMANIA AND BULGARIA MAY JOIN WITH ALLIES.

ATTACK CALAIS AGAIN

Kaiser Orders Second Attempt on French Seaport—Would Be Great Menace to England.

London, Nov. 7.—It is officially confirmed that the Japanese and British forces have captured the German fortress of Tsing Tau in China.

Roumania and Bulgaria may take sides with the triple entente and against Germany, Austria and Turkey, according to a rumor here. It is believed both, however, will remain neutral as long as possible or until assurance of aid from either Russia or Britain is given.

The German kaiser has ordered another immediate attempt to force a way to Calais, France. As Calais is at the head of the English channel and almost directly opposite Dover, England, it is believed the Germans want to make Calais a naval base, from which to attack England.

MEXICAN PRESIDENT QUILTS: VILLA TO SUPPORT GUTIERREZ

Resigned Provisional Head Will Be Backed by Insurgent Army.

General Villa will support General Eulalio Gutierrez, who has resigned as provisional president of Mexico, according to announcement made by the insurgent head, it is said. Gutierrez recently succeeded Carranza as head of that country, pending an election.

It is announced that Villa will back up any action of Gutierrez with his army, if necessary.

No one has yet been named to succeed Gutierrez.

CALLED TO DIRECTORS' MEETING

W. E. Goforth to Represent Division at Railroad Men's Council.

W. E. Goforth, agent of the Burlington, will go to Creston this evening to attend a meeting tomorrow of the directors of the C., B. & Q. division of the Burlington.

Six station agents in the territory have been summoned to meet with the directors. Mr. Goforth is called to represent the St. Joseph-Creston branch. Matters relative to the winter schedule of special rates and to the general efficiency of the road will be discussed.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

During assembly period Tuesday afternoon the Rev. J. L. Hubbard, pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist church, talked on "Preparations for the Future." This was the first time the students had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Hubbard at the high school.

The new glee club song books have arrived and the two clubs will now be expected to deliver some good music. There is talk of organizing a girls' gymnasium class. If a sufficient number of girls wish to enter a class will be started soon.

Assembly was held Thursday instead of Friday this week. The time was given over to practicing yells and songs for the game with Pickering last night.

A Parent-Teachers' association meeting was held at the high school Friday afternoon. As the meeting began at 2:45, the high school pupils were dismissed at 2:40.

Several Normal boys saw the basket ball games played in the high school gymnasium Tuesday afternoon. Everett East of Burlington Junction was a visitor at the high school Tuesday afternoon.

Here for Week End.

Miss Neva Airy, who is teaching in the schools of Burlington Junction, came to Maryville last night to spend the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. Nellie Airy.

To Visit Mother.

Mrs. C. A. McCoppin left this morning for Bolckow to visit her mother, Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling, who has been quite ill for a few days.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler to night.

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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

Old rock-ribbed Republican Harrison county elected two Democrats to county offices last Tuesday. The Progressive vote ran from 300 to 600.

Senator William Joel Stone is the first United States senator to be elected by direct vote of the people of Missouri, and a majority of 60,000 is not a bad beginning.

The Socialists will again be represented in the next congress. One of them captured a seat from the city of New York now occupied by Representative Goldfogle.

It is fortunate for the Democrats in the next congress that most of the Republican gains were from the Atlantic coast states. About half of the membership from Pennsylvania, New York and the New England states are absent most of the time anyway, regardless of what party they belong to.

From the results it would seem that in the east most of the Progressive vote returned to the Republicans, while in the west the Democrats fell heir to a fair share of it.

Democrats have reason to be well satisfied with the elections of 1914. If Democrats expect to win, though, in 1916 they should begin to get ready, not in 1916, but now. With the old guard of the Republican party now thoroughly in the saddle once more, they are likely to work while others sleep. Eternal vigilance is the price of continued political success.

One effect of the partial disintegration of the Progressive party is the return to congress and to leadership of many of the old-time standpat leaders who were responsible for the split in the Republican party. The return of men like Uncle Joe Cannon and McKinley of Illinois and Ebenezer Hill of Connecticut to the house, together with the elimination of Victor Muddock and the majority of the Progressive members means an entirely new line up and a return to the old lines of battle. The next congress will be a lively and interesting session.

Bank statements just published show that the four banks in Maryville have now on deposit \$1,841,945.02. If there is any indication of "hard times" in that we fail to see it. The general disturbance of the world's finances has limited the amount of

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money available for loans, which is often a blessing in disguise. Every essential need of business has been accommodated and there has been no hardship visited upon those who already had loans in the conduct of their business. As a rule, in times of prosperity we are all inclined to spend and borrow beyond our needs, and a little tightening of the lines is occasionally a good thing to remind us what might happen in case there should be a sudden withdrawal of credits and to enable us to take an inventory and to see where we are drifting. There are evidences of easy times ahead and the temporary check in credits will not be regretted by most people.

FESTUS J. WADE.

St. Louis Banker Who
Is Behind a Movement
To Aid Cotton Growers.



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The ONLOOKER HENRY HOWLAND The MAN with the PIPE



He sat and smoked his gurgling pipe. I heard him sadly sigh. "Now, prythee, tell me, poor old man, why are you grieved?" said I. He gazed at me and shook his head. Yet motioned me to stay. "I've just been thinkin'," he replied, "And sadly puffed away."

"Pray tell me, poor old man," I said. "Has Fortune used you ill? Four clothes are poor and old and frayed— But you are living, still." "It ain't my clo's that bothers me," I heard him sadly say. And then he filled his pipe again And sadly smoked away.

"Perchance," I said, "you sigh because You have not won renown, Because you do not sit upon A proud height, looking down." "The work it takes to get renown Don't hardly make it pay! I don't care for no heights," he said, And sadly smoked away.

"Some one you love," I said, "lies dead Where yonder white stones gleam. And you are waiting to embark Upon the broad, dark stream?" "It ain't that. No one that I love Is layin' there today." He made reply, and with a sigh He sadly puffed away.

"Pray tell me, then, old man," I said. "Does grief assail your heart Because you may not grasp a sword And play a hero's part? Or do you sadly sigh because Men's greed is holding away, Because for love of gold they put The love of worth away?"

"I've just been thinkin'," he replied, In accents of despair. "That when I go to heaven they won't Allow no smokin' there; I'll have to leave my pipe," he sighed. As only grieved men may— I went along about my tasks, He sat and smoked away.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First M. E. Church.
Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service at 11 o'clock. Sermon by Dr. A. C. Bushnell of Kansas City.
Epworth League service at 6:30.
Evening worship at 7:30 with sermon by pastor. Subject, "What the Prodigal Son Lost." Special music at all services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Adam and the Fallen Man." No Sunday evening service.
Wednesday evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
Reading room at 206 South Main street open each afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church.
Rev. Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon by the Rev. W. C. Shupp of St. Louis. Anthem, "O Jesus, Thou Art Standing," by Mendelssohn.
Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Supremacy of Jesus." Anthem, "The Garden of Prayer," by Shepherd.

First Baptist Church.
The Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Anderson Craig, superintendent. Classes suited to the needs of all who will come.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Address by Mr. E. F. Jones. Special music.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "The Bible and Christianity." Leaders, Mrs. W. M. Westbrook and Miss Lucile Holmes.
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Behind the Scenes." Songs that everybody can sing. Come and bring your friends. Hebrews 10:22-25.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.
Rev. John H. Hubbard, pastor.
We had a slight falling off in attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. We want to see every one out tomorrow.
Rev. H. D. Thompson, district superintendent of the northeast district of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League, will speak at 10:45.

The usual services at 7:30 p. m. We will begin our revival services January 3. Rev. W. B. Llewellyn of Graham will assist us in the meeting. He is a great soul winner. He comes to help us; we must be ready to help him. While we are seeking to save the people every day we will at that time make a special effort in that direction.

First Christian Church.
Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor.
We shall make our morning services especially helpful.

At 9:30 the Bible school people will meet for more than an hour's study of the Word. There are classes for all, and you are cordially invited to find your place. There will be a special feature to the Bible school hour. Do not fail to be present.

At 10:45 the church service begins. Communion service will be followed by a sermon by the pastor on "The Meaning of God," the first of a series on the vital things of the Christian religion. The minister would like to have the entire membership hear this sermon.

The Christian Endeavor societies meet at 6:30. You are earnestly invited to attend. At 7:30 the pulpit will be occupied by the Rev. S. D. Thompson, state representative of the Anti-Saloon League. He is a forceful speaker and will bring a new message along the lines of state and national prohibition.

The choir, under the direction of Dr. D. J. Thomas, will render special music both morning and evening. Your welcome awaits you.

Submits 17-Pound Beet.
Henry Messbarger, who operates a farm four miles northeast of Ravenwood, brought into The Democrat-Forum office this morning a stock beet which measures 26 inches in circumference and weighs 16 pounds and 14 ounces. There may be larger ones raised in the irrigated west, but for Nodaway county land, can you beat this beet?

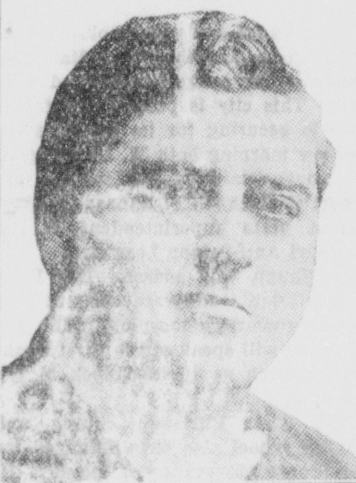
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ARE YOU GOING

TO THE BIG SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

To Be Held at Springfield Nov. 17, 18 and 19?

Interest in the forty-ninth annual convention of the Missouri Sunday School Association, to be held in Springfield Nov. 17-19, is becoming so pronounced it now seems likely that all previous records will be beaten. The theme of this convention will be "Co-operation." The keynote address on this topic will be delivered by Dr. W. J. Williamson of St. Louis, pastor of the largest church in Missouri (Third Baptist) and perhaps the most widely known and loved minister in the state. Dr. Williamson will also lead the daily Bible study each morning.



DR. W. J. WILLIAMSON.

The leaders of the convention, while highly inspirational, will be intensely practical. Its objective is not merely to give folk a "vision," to make them want to serve, but to give them practical, concrete help.

To that end the three afternoons will be given entirely to separate conferences—normal school work—where it will be possible to get down to "what to do" and "how to do it." There will be conferences for elementary workers, those dealing with children from birth to 12; for teenage workers, those dealing with boys and girls 13 to 20; for adult workers, for county and township officers, rural workers, for superintendents and officers, college representatives and college students.

Every phase of the work will be handled by specialists. Among the number will be Mrs. Phebe A. Curtiss, Columbus, O., elementary and Home Department specialist; Mr. John L. Alexander, Chicago, teenage specialist; Prof. Howard G. Colwell, St. Louis, adult specialist; Miss Maud A. Price, Wellington, Kan., missionary specialist; Mrs. Zillah Foster Stevens, Alton, Ill., temperance specialist; Prof. Walter S. Ahearn, Des Moines, educational specialist; Rev. H. R. McKeen, Bentonville, Ark., rural specialist, and many others.

Additional information may be had of Missouri Sunday School Association, Fullerton Building, St. Louis.

RURAL CHURCH SPECIALIST.

A new feature of the approaching state Sunday School convention, to be held at Springfield Nov. 17-19, and one which is causing much talk, is the provision being made for the special needs of the rural Sunday Schools.

Missouri is attempting to meet the peculiar needs of the farmer. Scholarships have been provided in many counties to enable bright young men and women to make a special study of agriculture. A number of counties now have "farm advisers"—specialists to instruct the farmers in better plans and methods.



REV. H. R. MCKEEN.

There are special problems peculiar to rural Sunday Schools, so this convention brings a "rural church specialist" to advise the Sunday School workers. Rev. Harry R. McKeen of Bentonville, Ark., is a noted author and lecturer, but, best of all, he has worked out on the ground, in the country pastorate, the problem of making the church the center of the life of the rural community. An entire afternoon will be spent in separate conference on things rural.

An unusually large number of delegates from country Sunday Schools are expected on this account. Full details about the convention may be had of Missouri Sunday School Association, Fullerton Building, St. Louis.



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Mr. and Mrs. Al Mutchler of Tarkio came to Maryville this morning to spend a short time, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hamblen.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon of Tarkio arrived in Maryville this morning to spend a few days visiting Mr. Gordon's uncle, George Gordon, and family.

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The members of the W. O. W. surprised the Woodmen's Circle last night at the close of the lodge meeting by arranging for the Circle a social hour and supper. About a hundred were in attendance.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

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Berney Harris now requests all parties owing him to please pay as he has large obligations to meet at once.

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CHICAGO YARDS SHUT NINE DAYS

No Cattle, Hogs or Sheep Received Until Nov. 16.

TWO MORE STATES UNDER BAN

Iowa and Massachusetts Quarantined to Stop Spread of Foot and Mouth Disease—Packing Industry Shifted to Western Cities.

HOW TO PREVENT FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

Segregate cattle from infected herds.

Keep cattle, sheep, hogs and horses from ranging on land traversed by infected cattle.

Spray creosote and bichloride of lime on infected areas.

Slay infected animals and bury them in quicklime.

Do not allow persons from farms where disease exists to visit your farm. The germs may be carried twenty miles on the sole of a shoe.

Kill all rats in infected areas.

Quarantine all cattle which have come in contact with infected cattle and bind hoofs with bandages soaked in bichloride of lime.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—A large part of the cattle receiving and meat packing industry of the country, long centered in Chicago, temporarily was shifted to Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph and other western cities, and the Chicago Union Stock Yards, for the first time since its organization in 1865, was closed down for nine days in consequence of the prevalence of the hoof and mouth disease among cattle. The quarantine against the stock yards and all other cattle pens in Illinois is now in effect. The state's action supplements the federal quarantine against Illinois.

No more cattle, sheep and hogs are to be received in Chicago until Nov. 16, when business is to be resumed after the yards have been thoroughly disinfected and pronounced free from the disease.

The packers sent to Omaha and their other western branches 1,000 killers and butchers to kill and dress the animals which ordinarily would have been sent to Chicago. They announced that the products from their western plants would be sufficient to supply the market without any change in prices.

An optimistic view was taken of the situation. All the packers said they had enough stock on hand to run their plants for three or four days, and none of them would entirely shut down.

Disinfecting is proceeding night and day at the stock yards.

The herd of 600 infected cattle originally found was augmented by the discovery of 216 more cattle and 600 hogs which had been affected. No sheep so far have been affected.

The collection of 800 prize cattle brought to Chicago for last week's dairy show from twenty-eight states and Canada is still held in quarantine.

Two More States Under Ban.

Further spread of the live stock foot and mouth disease has caused the extension of the federal quarantine to two more states, Massachusetts and Iowa.

Reports to the department of agriculture announced the discovery of the epidemic at South Attlebury, Bristol county, Massachusetts, and at Parnell, Ia., the first case west of the Mississippi. Cattle, sheep and hogs now cannot be moved out of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York, Massachusetts or Iowa.

BASEBALL PEACE IS MYTH

American Leaguers Bring Question No Nearer Solution.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—American leaguers, in winding up their annual convention, left unsolved the most important two problems supposed to be on the program. The question of peace with the Federal league appeared no nearer solution for all the debate on the subject, and no change in ownership or in the list of stockholders in the New York club was announced.

Regarding the latter point, it was given out that no formal discussion of it had taken place. A shake up in the membership of the New York club was considered advisable by some of the magnates as a preliminary to strengthening the team in the metropolitan.

Tax Dodgers Steal Fifty Millions.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Charging that \$50,000,000 have been stolen from Cook county by tax dodgers, MacLay Hayne, state's attorney, instituted in the county court proceedings which he said, eventually will include 15,000 persons. The hearing revealed about fifty alleged instances of tax dodging and a system used in the assessor's office whereby a red mark opposite a property owner's name in the books means that his assessment has been cancelled by an assessor.

Concede Election of Thomas.

Denver, Nov. 7.—Republican State Chairman Stewart conceded the election of United States Senator Charles S. Thomas (Dem.) over Hubert Work (Rep.) by at least 1,000 plurality.

CARDINAL CASPARRI.

Chosen to Fill Position Of Secretary of State After Rampolla's Death.



Photo by American Press Association.

The KITCHEN CABINET

To those of you who by a great gift have been permitted to see life suddenly and whole, and to those of you who, like myself, must be content to go slowly learning, I hope, as we go, I propose that we live greatly, that our sincerity may be great sincerity. That we may be straight in purpose, wide in sympathy, high in courage, that our minds may mirror back, not the poor things in life, but strong, fine things that surround us on every hand if we but have the light to see.

—Mrs. K. C. Thurston.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

New Carrots With Peas.—Scrape carrots and cut them in slices a quarter of an inch thick; let simmer in water with half an onion until tender. At the same time measure twice the amount of peas. Cook together and see that most of the water is evaporated, then add salt, pepper and butter and a teaspoonful of sugar and serve hot.

Rich Graham Muffins.—Beat half a cupful of butter to a cream, beat in three-fourths of a cup of sugar, two eggs well beaten, stir a fourth of a teaspoonful of soda in a half cupful of thick sour milk, add this to the first ingredients, then beat in a cupful of flour, and a cupful of graham flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake 25 minutes in a well-buttered muffin pan.

Walnut Tea Cakes.—Beat four eggs to a froth, add one-half cupful of butter creamed with a cupful and a half of powdered sugar, a half cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a half cupful of walnut meats. Flavor with a little mixed spice.

Roasted Chicken With Olives.—Heat a tablespoonful of drippings in a frying pan, add three tablespoonfuls each of chopped onion, celery and carrot and stir until well browned. Add this to a pint of bread crumbs, a tablespoonful of parsley, butter to moisten, salt, paprika and two tablespoonfuls of finely-chopped olives. Clean and stuff the chicken and roast, basting with butter and water. Stone and pound to a paste two dozen large olives, add a half cupful of strained tomato and heat in a saucepan, cook until reduced to one-third. Skim off the fat, season well, add half a dozen stoned olives and serve with the chicken.

A larger portion of stuffing may be made and roasted and basted with the chicken, which will make the meat go farther.

Nellie Maxwell

Brother is Senator.

Mrs. Fannie Culverson, who conducts a general merchandise store on East First street, has received word that her brother, Dr. Willis M. Wilson of Curtis, Neb., was elected representative in Tuesday's election. Mr. Wilson was here last about six weeks ago, when Charles Culverson, Mrs. Culverson's husband, died.

Home from Iowa.

A. B. Stein and his guest, Bernard Eulke of St. Louis, returned this morning from a few days business trip to Ft. Madison, Ia.

Here from Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Von Fossen of Barnard spent the day in Maryville looking after business matters.

Visiting at Stanberry.

Miss Eva Vandersloot left yesterday evening for Stanberry, where she will spend a few days visiting.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reese gave a dinner yesterday noon, entertaining Mrs. Clifton Carnegie and daughters, Allene and Josephine, of Pierre, S. D., and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devore of Ravenwood.

Guests of the Toels.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel will entertain Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chase of St. Joseph for week-end guests. Mrs. Chase arrived last night and Mr. Chase will come this evening. Their daughter, Ernestine, has been spending the week with Miss Brownie Toel and with Mrs. Arthur Brewer.

Miss Orear Entertains.

Miss May Orear was the hostess of a charming affair given last night, when she entertained a few friends at her home, on West Lincoln street. Rose colored chrysanthemums were blended with ferns in the decorations of the rooms. Miss Orear was assisted during the entertaining hours by Mrs. J. F. Colby and Miss Alice Beal.

Gives Movie Party.

Misses Mildred Shinabargar and Alice Peery gave a movie party last night at the Empire, followed by a two-course supper at the Shinabargar home, on West First street. The company, chaperoned by Miss Dora Carpenter and Miss Goldie Airy, included Helen Dean, Mary Margaret Richey, Ruth Jones, Mary Carpenter, Mabel Cook, Lucile Wright, Iva Hubbard, Vivian Lyle, Helen Rose Crawford and the hostesses.

Modern Drama Department Meets.

With Miss Harriett Day as leader, the modern drama department of the Twentieth Century club held a meeting Thursday night at the Elks club, taking for discussion "Ibsen—The Man and His Philosophy." The evening concluded the study of Ibsen and his dramas, which the department has pursued since the opening of the meetings. The December study will be Maeterlinck, with "The Blue Bird" for special discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwinn Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Gwinn will entertain with a dinner tomorrow at their country home, near Bedison, at which their guests will be Mrs. A. A. Meyer and son, Mr. Harold Meyer, and her small grand daughter, Thelma Meyer, of Delta, Col.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gwinn of Denver, Mo., and Miss Mary Gwinn. Mrs. Meyer is a sister of Mrs. Gwinn, and the Colorado folks will remain for a week's stay.

Entertains Party of Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ellett of Kansas City and their daughter, Mrs. Forrest H. Haines and small daughter, Irene Josephine, of Eldorado, Kan., will arrive in the city this evening to visit Mrs. Haines' brother-in-law, H. L. Haines. Mr. Ellett is the senior member of the Ellett-Kendall Shoe company of Kansas City. They will be the guests of Mr. Haines at the Linville until Monday evening.

Mrs. Thompson Hostess.

Mrs. Dell Thompson opened her home yesterday afternoon to the Ladies' Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church for a general social meeting. During the afternoon plans were made for the holding of a Christmas bazaar to be held during the early part of December. Dinner will also be served at this time. At 4:30 o'clock a dainty two-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Thompson, assisted by her sister, Mrs. F. E. Cummings of St. Joseph, who is her guest. Among the visitors present were Mrs. Cummings and the Rev. J. H. Hubbard.

Entertains Congregation.

The congregation of the Buchanan Street Methodist church was invited to be the guests of the Wage Earners class last night at a program and supper given at the church. The entertainment included music by a quartet, composed of Mrs. L. P. Colvin, Miss Mary Rooker, I. B. Williams and M. A. Peery, readings by Miss Genie Aley and Miss Ruth Hubbard, vocal solos by Miss Hubbard and Miss Ruth Hasty, a violin solo by Mr. Williams, and a cornet solo by M. A. Peery. The evening was then given in charge of the social committee, who arranged various games and served a supper. The evening is the first of a series to be given by the class.

Thimble Tea.

Miss Bessie Carden entertained the members of the Loyal Daughters class of the First Christian church with a thimble tea at her country home, southwest of the city, last night. The first hour of the evening was devoted to reading, taking the second half of "The Eyes of the World," which the class has been discussing. The guests were the class teacher, Mrs. Robert L. Finch; Miss Blanche Shipps, Miss

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Golda Roelofson, Miss Gertrude Wright, Miss Edith Holt, Miss Edith Callahan, Miss Ula Snowberger, Miss Ola Kidwell, Miss Mildred Robinson, Miss Alta Sharp and Miss Donna Peters.

Mandolin Club Entertained.

Miss Alma Nash, director of the Elite Mandolin club, entertained the club members with a wiener roast and taffy pull at her home last night. Those who enjoyed the jollification were Mr. and Mrs. William Gaugh and children; Miss Marie Alden, Misses Esther, Margaret and Grace Dietz, Lucile and Eva Beaman, Elizabeth Nash, Leonard and Lee Maier, Raymond Burns and Merrill Atherton.

Progressive Auto Party.

A progressive auto luncheon was enjoyed last night by a party of friends, who were entertained first at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Nicholas, then at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz, west of the city, thence the party motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Boatwright, and from there to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garrett, where the remainder of the evening was spent. The party included Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bower, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright, Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Curfman, Mr. and Mrs. John Airy, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. W. O. Garrett and Mrs. Alfred Shackelford.

To Give Tea.

Miss Mildred Miller and Miss Beulah Bruner will give a tea tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at Perrin hall, at which their guests will be the training school teachers of the Normal and a few other friends. The teachers are Miss Grace Spellman, Miss

Carrie Shull, Miss Chloe Compton, Miss Jane Gladstone, Miss Marie Medsker, Miss Marjorie Wilfley, Miss Allie Jean Fraser, Miss Martha Denny, Miss Mattie Dykes, Miss May Gowney, Orlo Quinn, Donald Robey and Raymond Watson.

Seniors Entertain Faculty.

The seniors of the Normal entertained the members of the faculty and their wives with a pleasant affair last night in the kindergarten rooms of the Normal. The guests were received by Orlo Quinn, class president; Miss Chloe Compton, secretary; Miss Mary Hughes and Miss Beatrix Winn, class patronesses, and Miss Marjorie Wilfley. By some article of adornment or by the entire costume, each represented the title of a book and in guessing the names Miss Mildred Miller won the prize. A matching poetry contest was given, the guests holding the four lines of each stanza being compelled to write a poem which began with the letters of "senior faculty." A luncheon closed the evening. About eight were entertained.

Miss Kinzel Highly Praised.

Miss Bertha Kinzel, soprano, who is to sing in this city on Friday night of next week for the benefit of the Order of the Eastern Star, was given an ovation last night at St. Joseph on the occasion of her appearance there, which has seldom been given a singer. Miss Kinzel is a former St. Joseph girl, and returned last night after an absence of five years spent in study. The St. Joseph papers of today speak in extravagant terms of her singing and of the entire concert. Miss Kinzel appears November 13 at the First Methodist church.

Business Trip.

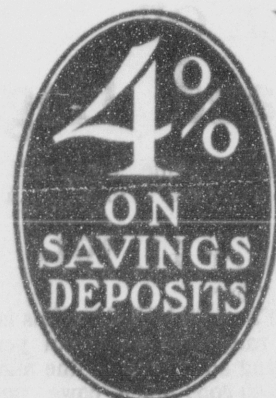
M. A. Turner and J. W. Toel spent the day at Pickering on business.

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120 acres 6 miles Maryville 5 room house. Price \$100 per acre will take \$2,000 down balance time or will exchange for Maryville property.

80 acres 5 miles of Maryville good house and barn. Price \$110.00. Will furnish loan on this for all but \$2,500.

280 acres good house and barn one half of this land is upland and the balance is bottom. Price \$85.00 per acre will carry back \$20,000 on this land at 6 per cent for 10 years.

We also have listed the following farms at prices that are interesting.

240 acres, 5 miles Maryville. Price \$155.00.

220 acres, 4 miles Hopkins. Price \$125.00.

100 acres, 2 miles Maryville. Price \$175.00.

80 acres, 2 miles Maryville. Price \$125.00.

150 acres, 3 1/2 miles Maryville. Price \$140.00.

240 acres, 7 miles Maryville, fine improvements. Price \$130.00.

220 acres, 5 1/2 miles Maryville. Price \$120.00.

160 acres, 7 miles Maryville. Price \$100.00.

80 acres, 2 miles Maryville. Price \$200.00.

160 acres, 4 1/2 miles Maryville. Price \$145.00.

80 acres, 5 miles Maryville. Price \$140.00.

80 acres, 5 miles Maryville. Price \$100.00.

80 acres, 4 1/2 miles Maryville. Price \$85.00.

80 acres, 4 miles Clyde. Price \$75.

160 acres, 6 1/2 miles of Maryville. Price \$135.00.

188 acres, 7 miles of Maryville. Price \$110.00.

40 acres, 1/2 mile of Maryville. Price \$250.00.

150 acres, 6 miles of Maryville. Price \$120.00.

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On account of failing health, I will sell at public auction, at my farm one mile northwest of Ravenwood, Missouri, on

Tuesday, November 11, 1914

The Following:

17 HEAD OF HORSES—Including three stallion, one Registered Trotting Stallion, George Hodges by Todd Allerton, weight 1400 pounds; Two Percheron Stallions Registered in the Percheron Society of America. These are of the good kind.

16 HEAD OF MILCH COWS
80 HEAD OF HOGS
ALL FARM MACHINERY, GRAIN, ETC.

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PUBLIC SALE OF

Horses, Cattle and Hogs

Having decided to move to my place near Maryville, I will sell at public sale at my present residence, 3 miles west and 1 mile south of Hopkins, Missouri, on

Wednesday, November 11, 1914

Beginning at 10:00 a. m. Sharp

175 HEAD OF STOCK—30 HORSES AND MULES—This is a offering, consisting mostly of good draft stuff, ranging in age from yearlings to six-year-olds, most of these horses being sound and in fine marketable condition. **102 HEAD OF CATTLE**—40 good milch cows, ranging in age from 3 to 7 years old, 20 fresh and 20 more to be fresh soon; 60 big early spring calves—reds, blacks and white faces. Also 2 young bulls—one Shorthorn and black from the great Andrews herd. **30 HEAD OF HOGS**—These are spring and fall pigs in fine condition.

TERMS—Sums of \$10.00 and under cash; over this amount a credit of 9 months will be given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date. 195 acre farm for rent.

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TSINGTAU HAS SURRENDERED

Last Fortress of Germans In
Asia Has Fallen.

LONG AND HEROIC RESISTANCE

Defense of Teuton Garrison Since August One of Most Picturesque Phases of War—Reservists Holding Post With Fame by Their Bravery.

WAR SUMMARY

The first decisive victory of the war has been won. Tsingtau, the German fortress on the Shantung peninsula in China, has surrendered to the allies.

On the European battle front Russia claims the greatest victory since the beginning of the war in the driving back of the Germans to their East Prussian frontier and defeats to the Germans and Austrians below the river Vistula.

Germany, however, says there has been no change in the eastern battle front. The fighting in Poland, according to Berlin, has not yet begun on account of the slow troop movements, due to bad roads.

In Austria, still, according to the Germans, the Russians are continually harassed by the troops of Emperor Francis Joseph.

In the extreme western zone, east and southeast of Ypres, hard fighting continues, but with neither side having a distinct advantage.

Tokyo, Nov. 7.—It is officially announced that the German fortress of Tsingtau has surrendered to the Japanese and British forces.

The fall of Tsingtau ends the most picturesque of the minor phases of the great world war now raging. On two continents and in many of the islands of the seas, where colonies of the warring nations were planted, combats of more or less interest have taken place, garrisons captured and towns captured peacefully, but in the little German concession on the south side of the Shantung peninsula of China there has been going on since late in August a reduced scale of war that, from all accounts, has duplicated nearly all the features of those battles in Europe that have resulted in the capture of fortified positions.

The capture of Tsingtau loses to Germany its last foot of possessions on the Asiatic mainland, as well as its last strategic position outside of the German empire in Europe.

For nearly three months the little German garrison, amounting to about 7,000 men and nearly wholly composed of reservists who were living or doing business in China, has held out against the land and sea attacks of the Japanese and of certain British detachments of both white and Indian troops that found themselves in China at the outbreak of the war.

What the losses of the garrison have been are not known, but the official Japanese and British reports indicate that Tsingtau has been taken at heavy cost of men on the part of the allies.

GOOD HOPE GOES DOWN

Cruiser Monmouth Badly Damaged and Glasgow Reaches Port.

London, Nov. 7.—It was the British cruiser Good Hope, Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Craddock's flagship, which foundered after being set on fire by shells from German warships in the battle that took place off the Chilean coast last Sunday. The British cruiser Monmouth, which the Germans said they had sunk, was badly damaged, and it is possible that it is the warship which was reported to be ashore on the coast of Chile. So far as is known, none of the Good Hope's crew survived. The British cruiser Glasgow has arrived at Puerto Montt, Chile.

The only bit of satisfaction for the British is that their little Pacific fleet had, itself, chosen to give battle to a very much stronger squadron, and had not been overwhelmed until the last possible shot had been fired at the enemy.

NEW NAVAL BATTLE ON

Germans, British and Japanese Reported in Clash Off Peru or Chile.

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—Private advices to prominent British shipping agents here from their correspondents in Valparaiso report that an engagement is now taking place off Yauyos, Peru, between British, German and Japanese warships. Press dispatches telling of a previous German-British naval engagement are confirmed in the messages.

No details of the engagement were given. Closer reading of the cable message seemed to indicate that Yauyos was not the name of a town off which the engagement was in progress, but a code word. Officials believed the battle was taking place somewhere off the coast of Chile.

Gouge Out Germans' Eyes.

Bordeaux, Nov. 7.—The Vorwaerts printed a story to the effect that a leading doctor at the St. Esprit hospital at Frankfurt cited instances where sharpshooters whose nationality was not stated had gouged out the eyes of German soldiers and replaced them with their uniform buttons.

NICHOLAS LONGWORTH.

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Years of Retirement.



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FIRE THREATENS

K. C. STOCK YARDS

Twenty-five Acres of Cattle Pens
Destroyed by Blaze.

Kansas City, Nov. 7.—Twenty-five acres of cattle pens, or one-third of the stock yards, has been destroyed, with a loss estimated at \$750,000, by a fire that began last night and is still burning this morning. Three men were injured by burns and falling timbers. The fire is not yet under control and another section of the yards is in danger.

The local yards will be seriously crippled in handling the unusually heavy shipments of stock expected here as the result of the quarantine of the Chicago yards. The injured men are: H. O. Ostermeter, cashier of a commission company; H. H. Weber, a cattle boss, and James Conroy, a fireman. None will die.

While officials of the stock yards company deny that any cattle have been burned to death, one report asserts that 4,000 head were lost. Only the sudden veering of the wind saved the \$1,000,000 live stock exchange buildings, within fifty feet of which the fire started.

Asserts Sending Relief Prolongs War.

Los Angeles, Nov. 7.—While efforts were being made to raise funds here to succor the victims of war's rigors in Belgium, Dr. Milbank Johnson, president of the municipal charities commission, published a statement declaring the relief sent to Europe meant only prolongation of the strife and suggesting that charity should begin at home.

Champ Clark's Expenses.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 7.—Champ Clark, speaker of the house, filed his expense account with Secretary of State Roach here, as required under the corrupt practices act. His sworn statement shows he spent \$652 to be re-elected to congress from the Ninth Missouri district.

Prussian Prince Wounded.

Amsterdam, Nov. 7.—Prince Albrecht of Prussia is reported among the wounded in the latest German casualty list.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Closing prices: Wheat—Dec., \$1.17 1/4; May, \$1.23 1/2. Corn—Dec., 70 1/2 c; May, 73 1/2 c. Oats—Dec., 50 c; May, 53 1/2 c. Pork—Jan., \$19.97 1/2; May, \$20.20. Lard—Nov., \$11.50; May, \$10.77 1/2. Ribs—Jan., \$10.52 1/2. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.14 1/4; No. 1 white oats, 47 1/2 c; standard, 49 1/2 c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady to strong; beefs, \$6.40 @ 11; steers, \$5.70 @ 9.25; cows and heifers, \$3.80 @ 9.60; calves, \$7.50 @ 10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 31,000; slow, 15 @ 20 c lower; bulk of sales, \$7.35 @ 7.60; light, \$7.15 @ 7.60; heavy, \$7.10 @ 7.70; rough, \$7.10 @ 7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; steady; sheep, \$5.75 @ 6.60; yearlings, \$6.75 @ 7.75; lambs, \$7.50 @ 9.25.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Nov. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 800; steady; beef steers, \$5.65 @ 10.50; cows and heifers, \$4 @ 7; stockers and feeders, \$5.80 @ 8.40; bulls, \$4.50 @ 6.25; calves, \$7.50 @ 10. Hogs—Receipts, 6,400; 10 c higher; bulk of sales, \$7.25 @ 7.60; top, \$7.70. Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; 10 @ 25 c higher; lambs, \$6.25 @ 9.10; wethers, \$4.30 @ 6.75; ewes, \$3.25 @ 5.85.

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GERMANS RESUMING DESPERATE BATTLE

Make Second Concerted Attempt
to Break Line of Allies.

London, Nov. 7.—A second concerted attempt of the German army to blast its way through to the sea is flaming and roaring from Nieuport to the French frontier without definite result so far on either side.

The area near the coast formerly held by the extreme German right and from which the invaders were forced by the allies after many days of hard fighting, is held only by dead, wounded and dying, the inundation having made the vicinity uninhabitable for the living and having prevented an advance of the British, French and Belgian allies.

Hundreds of the Germans left behind in the retreat doubtless will perish, as many were marooned like drift wood on an American island in time of flood. Thousands more on both sides are yet to perish in the struggle now progressing, the outcome of which would decide whether the Germans are going to reach the French coast this winter.

An official dispatch from the British army headquarters at the front pays a tribute to the way the invaders are meeting with death and speculates as hereafter, whether this is due to getherism or to troubled discipline. What ever the explanation, Colonel E. D. Swinton of the British army intelligence department, who writes these eye-witness accounts, says:

"The German troops have won our respect for the way in which they have advanced."

CONDITION IN BELGIUM

Official of American Relief Body Says People Have Little to Eat.

London, Nov. 7.—Millard K. Shaler of the American relief commission for Belgium arrived in London from Brussels. He says:

"The conditions in Belgium are even worse than described. I was accompanied by H. A. Johnson, the American consul at Ostend, and the Dutch consul at Ghent. As we neared the Belgian frontier we saw the pitiful plight of the refugees in Holland and in Belgium we came across a stream of poor people pouring back to Antwerp by every conceivable conveyance and afoot carrying their babies and belongings.

"Between Antwerp and Malines the destruction of the habitations in every town and hamlet was practically universal. Families were living in partially burned buildings or improvised structures, and suffering intensely. Food practically does not exist.

"The news I brought to the central committee headquarters in Brussels that 10,000 tons of cereals had been purchased by the American commission and was en route from England spread quickly through Brussels and its neighborhood. The announcement was timely, for 30 per cent of the population of Brussels now lives entirely on soup."

Smallpox Among Students.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 7.—Following the discovery of several cases of smallpox among the students in a dormitory of Fairmount college, the college authorities announced the school will be closed Monday until after Thanksgiving. Six members of the football squad contracted the disease. Students in the dormitory are under a quarantine.

Germans Hold Half Million Captives.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—German concentration camps and hospitals hold the following prisoners: French, 3,138 officers and 188,618 men; Russians, 3,121 officers and 186,779 men; Belgians, 537 officers and 34,000 men; British, 417 officers and 15,730 men.

Appoint Administrator.

Thomas J. Rogers of Clearmont has been appointed administrator by Probate Judge W. H. Conn, of the estate of the late Alexander M. Scott, who died at his home, south of Clearmont, October 25.

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WANTS

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\$1,000 TO LOAN—R. L. McDougal. 7-19

SHAVE 10c, except Saturdays; hair cut 20c. Protzman's. 26-1f

FOR RENT—Modern 10-room house, Phone 4377 Hanamo. Mrs. W. W. Byers. 22-1f

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, one aged. Some yearlings and spring pigs. All immune. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, Farmers phone. 26-7

FOR SALE—My property, 515 South Market street. 7 rooms and bath. Strictly modern. See me at above address. Daniel Lynch. 26-7

FOR RENT—Four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. 213 North Main street. Inquire J. A. Ford. 29-1f

CAR upland hay on track. Per ton, \$12. R. S. Braniger. 5-7

FOR RENT—8-room modern house, 2 lots, vacant Nov. 1, or will trade for smaller property. See O. L. Holmes. 14-1f

WANTED—Two experienced girl chocolate dippers at New York Candy Kitchen. 6-1f

BRAN, \$110 hundred in 500-pound lots, at the mill. Glover & Alexander. 30-1f

WANTED—Chambermaid at once. Apply at Ream hotel. 5-7

FOR RENT—Furnished room, three blocks from square. 110 South Fillmore. 10-1f

FOR SALE—Waxed oak buffet, practically new. Bargain if sold at once. Call 560 or 549. 6-1f

FOR RENT—My residence on North Main street. See Martin A. Lewis. 5-7

STRAYED—Good looking R. I. R. cockerel. Please notify Prices, 315 South Market. Phone 3518. 6-9

FOR RENT—Farm of 70 acres with 16-room house, adjoining city on First street, for cash rent. H. R. Conway, Farmers phone 209. 3-9

FOR SALE—162-acre farm, 6-room house, nearly new barn, 7 1/2 miles from Maryville, for quick sale; \$80 per acre; good terms. Smith & Gremis. 31-1f

SEE or phone me for superior home-grown alfalfa hay, baled or loose. No moldy or rotten cored bales. Sold in half ton lots and up. Elmer Fraser. 6-1f

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, March farrow. Hanamo 51 J. Robert C. Powell. 2-14

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, \$3.00 and \$4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood \$1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber and sawed posts for sale. Get your orders in while mill is sawing. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 27-1f

Here from Kansas.

Mrs. M. C. Owen of Republic, Kan., arrived in Maryville last night to spend the winter with her daughter, Miss Maud Owen.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metaline boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 28 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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When receiving a box of Engelmann's Chrysanthemums cut off the bottom of the stems a trifle before putting them into the water, repeat this daily and change the water every other day and they will last about two weeks. The lasting quality is one reason why the Chrysanthemum is so popular. We offer an extra nice selection of large blooms all colors, 15c, 20c and 25c each. Special for Sat. day October 31st, Carnations all colors 50c per dozen. Visit our Chrysanthemum home now.

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